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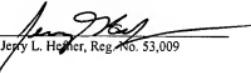
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Restriction Requirement mailed January 17, 2007 in connection with the above-referenced patent application. Applicants elect the claims of Group I (claims 1-8, 13, 14 and 39-54) without traverse.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.